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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
STEPHANIE ANN SUZUKI, et al.) Examiner: N/Y/A
Application No.: 09/661,183) Group Art Unit: 2622
Filed: September 13, 2000)
For: RULE-BASED DATA)
REPRODUCTION SYSTEM AND)
METHOD) March 27, 2001

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted dated November 9, 2000 for three months from January 9, 2001 to April 9, 2001.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$890.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

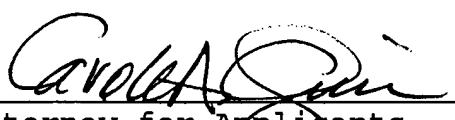
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,


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